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This is a response to the Office Action dated April 29, 2005, which may be responded to on or before May 29, 2005.

In the Office Action, restriction to one of the inventions, i.e., Group I (Claims 1-8 and 10-12), Group II (Claim 9), Group III (Claims 13-16 and 18) and Group IV (Claim 17), was required under 35 U.S.C. § 121. In response to this requirement, Applicants hereby elect Group I (Claims 1-8 and 10-12) for further examination. This election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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